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The irreconcilable differences between the attorneys and the applicant are based on the applicant's failure to compensate the attorneys associated with the above-identified Customer Number.

Respectfully submitted,

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